IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE V.GIRI

TUESDAY, THE 6TH NOVEMBER 2007 / 15TH KARTHIKA 1929

WP(C).No. 32847 of 2007(I)

PETITIONER:

K.K.THOMAS, ASST.ENGINEER P.W.D.,
BLOCK PANCHAYATH, KALPETTA.

BY ADV. SRI.S.KRISHNAMOORTHY

RESPONDENTS:
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1. **STATE OF KERALA, REP. BY ITS SECRETARY,**
   VIGILANCE (E) DEPARTMENT,
   GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT,
   THIRUVANANTHAPURAM - 695 001.

2. **THE DIRECTOR,**
   VIGILANCE AND ANTI CORRUPTION BUREAU,
   THIRUVANANTHAPURAM - 695 001.

3. **DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE,**
   VIGILANCE AND ANTI CORRUPTION BUREAU,
   WAYANAD.

4. **THE PRINCIPAL SECRETARY,**
   PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
   GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT,
   THIRUVANANTHAPURAM - 695 001.

BY GOVERNMENT PLEADER SRI.BEJOY CHANDRAN

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 06/11/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

V. GIRI ,J.

WP(C).NO. 32847 of 2007

Dated this the 6th day of November, 2007

JUDGMENT

Petitioner who is an Assistant Engineer in the PWD faces suspension as per Ext.P2 order passed by the Government on 17.10.2007. Ext.P2 is under challenge in this writ petition.

In my view, the petitioner is entitled to seek revocation of the suspension before the Government itself. Petitioner may therefore file a representation seeking revocation within a period of one month in which case it will be considered and appropriate decision will be taken by the Government within a period of one month thereafter, after hearing the petitioner.

The writ petition is disposed of as above.

V. GIRI, JUDGE

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